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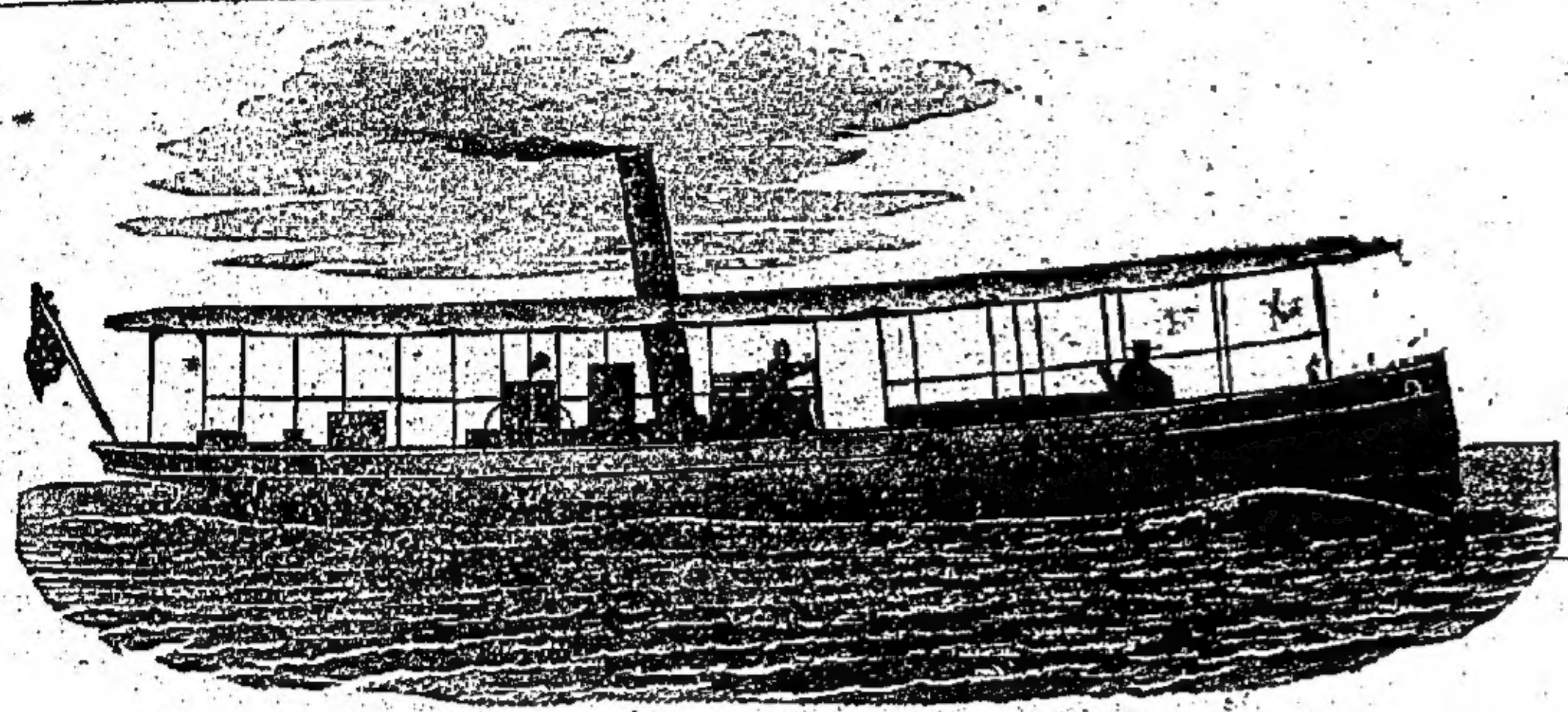
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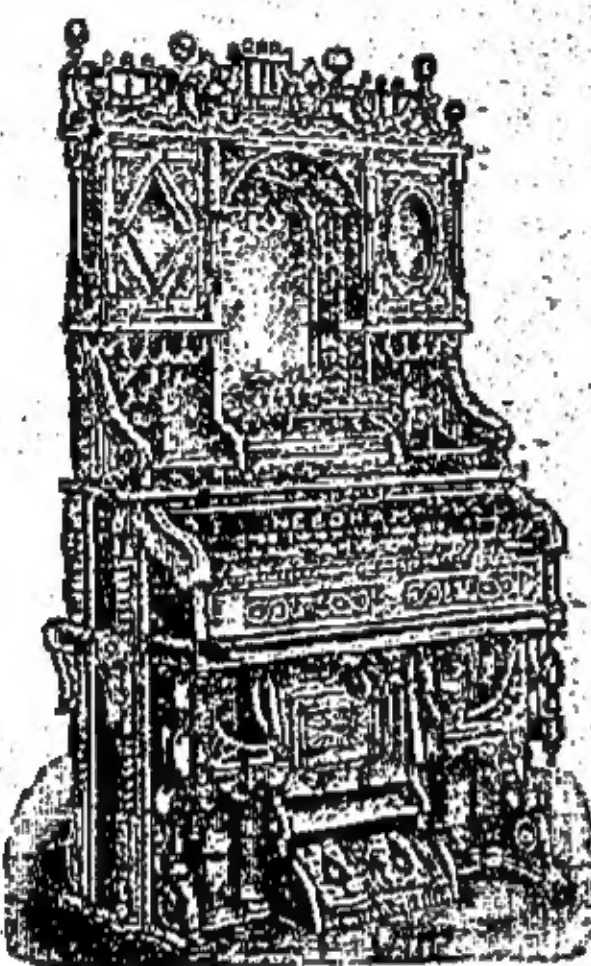
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Destination.	Vessels.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
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<i>Destination.</i>	<i>Vessel.</i>	<i>Agents.</i>	<i>Date of Leaving.</i>
Australian Ports	Kanuga Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Nov. 24, at 4 p.m.
Bremen & Ports of Call	Bayern (s)	Norddeutscher Lloyd	Nor. 8, at 9 a.m.
Havre and Hamburg	Siliria (s)	Harland & Wolff	About Nov. 13.
Havre and Hamburg	Danubig (s)	Carlowitz & Co.	About Dec. 10.
Havre and Hamburg	Comingberg (s)	Carlowitz & Co.	Nov. 11, at noon.
Havre and Hamburg	Amalia (s)	Carlowitz & Co.	About Dec. 24.
London & Ports of Call	Osama (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Nov. 28.
London v. Suez Canal	Machinet (s)	Butterfield and Swire	November 29.
London v. Suez Canal	Glensiel (s)	McGregor Line	Nov. 30, at 8 a.m.
London	Java (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Nov. 16.
London	Shanghai (s)	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Nov. 6, at 4 p.m.
Manila via Hong Kong	Comingberg (s)	Brindley & Co.	Nov. 3, at noon.
Manila	Venus (s)	Carlowitz & Co.	Nov. 3, at noon.
Malta, H. to Calcutta	Swara (s)	Carlowitz & Co.	Nov. 4, at Noon
Marseilles v. Saigon	Tonkin (s)	Messageries Maritimes	Nov. 3, at noon.
Marseilles, London, v. C.	Kawachi Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Nov. 17, at noon.
Marseilles, London, v. C.	Bingo Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Nov. 11, at 4 p.m.
Nagasaki, Kobe & Yokohama	Yokohama Maru (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Nov. 17, at noon.
New York, London & Havre	St. Jerome (s)	Dowdell & Co., Ltd.	About Nov. 45.
New York, Suez Canal	Morgue (s)	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	Nov. 16, at noon.
Philadelphia N. York	St. Mark	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Nov. 11, at noon.
Portland, Oregon	Aboriginal (s)	Dowdell & Co. Limited	Butterfield & Swire.
Sai Diego v. Japan	Lady Justice (s)	Butterfield & Swire.	About Nov. 20.
San Francisco & Japan	Guylla (s)	O. & D. S. S. Co.	Nov. 4, at noon.
San Francisco & Japan	Capitola (s)	Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	Nov. 21, at noon.
San Francisco v. Japan	America Maru (s)	Yokohama K. K.	Nov. 11, at noon.
Seattle, U.S.A.	Idzumi Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	About Nov. 11.
Shanghai	Clyde (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Nov. 5.
Shanghai, Niki, Kobe, Y. S.	Yaro (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	2, about Nov. 10.
Shanghai, Niki, Kobe, Y. S.	London (s)	Sunder, Wierler & Co.	Nov. 8, afternoon.
Singapore, Peking & Japan	Lightning (s)	D. Spayson, Sons & Co.	Nov. 5, daylight.
Singapore, Peking & Japan	Furiosa (s)	Douglas Laprak & Co.	Nov. 2, daylight.
Singapore, Peking & Japan	Enriching (s)	Douglas Laprak	Nov. 2, daylight.
Singapore, Peking & Japan	Tanaka Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Nov. 3, daylight.
Singapore, Peking & Japan	Amoy Alchale (s)	Dowdell & Co. Limited	Nov. 18, at noon.
Singapore, Peking & Japan	Empress of India (s)	Canadian P. & E. Co.	Nov. 22, at noon.
Singapore, Peking & Japan	Yokohama Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Nov. 23, at noon.
Singapore, Peking & Japan	Yokohama Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	Nov. 20, at 3 p.m.

<p>SHIPPING.</p> <p>ARRIVALS.</p> <p>October 31.</p> <p><i>Osaka</i>, British str., 1,970, J. A. Davison,</p>	<p>POST OFFICE NOTICES.</p> <p>MAILS will close:—</p> <p>For SWATOW—</p> <p>For <i>Formosa</i>, at 11½ ant., on Thurs the 2nd November.</p>
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Per *Thursdon*, at 11 a.m., on Friday the 3rd November.
Per *Jato*, at 5 p.m., on Thursday 2nd November.
For SINGAPORE, PENANG & COLOMB.

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SANDER, WYSTER & Co.
November 1.
Kwang Ping, Chinese str. from Canton.
Empress of India, British steamer, 3,013,
C. P. Marshall, Vancouver Oct. 10, and
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For CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.
Per Kwang Ping, at 3 p.m., on 1
day, the 2nd November.
For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEE

R. Co:
Korachi Maru, Japanese steamer, 3,781,
J. S. Thompson, Meji Oct. 23, General.—
NIPPON YUSEN KA-BA.
Hailing, British steamer, 1,257, A. E.
Hodgins, Foochow Octob 29, Annoy 30,
4th 2nd November.
For KONGMOON, SAMSHUT &
CHOW.—
Per *Wenlan*, at 4 p.m., on F
the 2nd November.
SINGAPORE PENANG &

and Swatow 31. General. — DOUGLAS
STEAMSHIP Co.
Borneo, British str., 674, J. Douglas,
Tamsui and Amoy October 31. — DOUGLAS
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Hue, French steamer, 704, P. Merius,
CUTTA. —
Per Lightning, at 5 p.m., on Sat-
the 4th November.
For AMOY & MANILA. —
Per *Yuen ong*, at 3 p.m., on Mo-
the 6th November.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PAC
The United States Mail Packet
will be despatched on SATUR-
day the 4th November, with Mail
Shanghai, Japan, San Francisco,
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Hailan, French steamer, 377. W. Bust,
 Pakhoi Oct. 29, and Hoihow 31, General.
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Prasid, for Saigon.
Memner, for Saigon.
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Amoy, for Shanghai.
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Bombay, for Yokohama.

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lingworth, Yaw, Kamshon, and Olshon,
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Kawachi, and others.

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quired.

RECEIVED
SHIPPING REPORTS.
 The British steamer *Hatching* reports :
 Weather moderate to fresh monsoons
 at the Straits in April. *Wenchow*.

Temperature.
 (Taken at Messrs Falconer
 Premises, Queen's Road
 HONGKONG, November 1890.)

CU.	Chutes	Swatow, Saluda-a, and German warship	BARBOSER	9 A.M.	...
		Do.	1 P.M.
		Hanser. Strang in Swatow : Machez, Trym,	Do.	4 A.M.	...
		Pechli, Funging, and St. Helena.	Do.	9 A.M.	...
OR.		The British steamer <i>Ferness</i> reports	THOMASER	4 A.M.	...
		Tamout to Amoy, moderate N.N.W. breeze	Do.	1 P.M.	...
		and fine weather throughout. Amoy to	Do.	4 P.M.	...
THE		Massachusetts. Light variable winds and fine	Do. (Wet hills)	9 A.M.	...

weather throughout. Oct. 39th, 6'trs. in
Tamsui; Tamsui Mara and Haimin. Oct.
31st, 6'trs. in Amoy; Wenchow, Salcedora,
Hailong, Ingroban, and Sichen.

Notes by the Way.
During the present year there have been 90,298 cases of dysentery in Japan, of which 18,536 ended fatally.
The first ice of the season was observed at Niippon on the 10th October, when the

Mr. Grenhouse, the American adviser to the Judicial Department of the Korean Government, who has been ill for some time, died on the 21st October.

The Russian Minister at Peking presented the Empress Dowager with

China and Japan written when he was
Czarevitch. At the presentation, the
press-Dowager had a more elevated
than the Emperor.

Mr R. Inglis has been appointed

and Mr. J. Mitchell, Vice-President. Following, Committee was elected—Messrs. Robt. Inglis, C. Murray Adamson, J. MacLaren, S. M. McLoish, John Mitchell, Geo. Peebles, John Prentice, R. Sutherland and B. A. Clarke. A vote of thanks

An Eventful Voyage.
On her last voyage to Saigon (says *Manila Times*), the S. S. *Kengae* had the most eventful 36 hours. Her high pres-

cident happened in that portion of her machinery. But owing to the good work of the engineer's department the repairs were made aboard ship, in mid-ocean, and the vessel proceeded to her destination. Foley is in command of the ship, which

giners are Messrs. Clark, Young
McBain. The Captain was very forth-
in having such able mechanics. Other-
he might possibly have drifted around
a longer period and the owners may b
gratulated that no salvage-towage bill
tains in on them.

Charge of Murder.
At the Magistracy this afternoon Mr H. Gompertz, Acting Police Magistrate, Tung Tai, coolie, was charged with the wilful murder of Fong Wai (41), coolie on 24th September. Fong

evidence given it appeared that a
 arose between the two men regard
 carrying of some medicine and the p
 struck the deceased a heavy bl
 the head with a bamboo. Dr B
 the deceased was brought to th

quite unconscious and was in a condition. He had a small skin about one-eighth of an inch long top of the scalp, slightly on the right. He died at half-past seven o'clock. A mortem examination of the body

Under the wound on the scalp was an extensive star-shaped extending right and left to the of the skull. There was a sm of blood immediately under the f On the left side the whole su

the brain was covered with blood
ture of skull was the cause of
The widow of the deceased said
five children, the eldest being thirty
old. The Magistrate ordered \$8
paid the woman out of the poor be
prisoner was committed for trial at

Boxing Contest.
Yesterday evening, a boxing match was arranged by Mr. S. Harper was held in the City Hall. The display was well attended by boxing enthusiasts. The match was between two local boxers, and the contest was a close one. The winner was declared after a hard fight.

opened with a three-round exhibition between Corporal G. Watkins and Livan (featherweights) for a silver medal. The contestants were very evenly matched and gave a pretty exhibition. The exhibition spar between Charlie

and George Stanfords (middleweight) and Thomas's superiority. A live took place between Frank Howard (weight) and George Stanfords (weight). The fight was arranged in rounds, but Stanfords so severely his opponent that he was enti-

After three rounds, the event was a twelve-round contest, but Collins, middleweight champion of California, and Dan Jones, middleweight of East London. The fight was a massive silver cup, the condition six-ounce gloves, three-minute rounds.

one minute interval. The champion was from the Argentine ship *Presidente Sarmiento*, who voyaged round the world. He is a fully-built fellow with massive chest (Jones is a member of the Royal Fusiliers and is a sturdy-built fellow).

Englishman was more lively than his opponent and got in some very good right under the Californian's chin. It appeared, however, that Collins was drawing out his opponent and waiting for an opportunity for a decisive blow. Continuity was given about the

the sixth round, and Jones like a "log from a heavy Mr. O. Coy was the referee. Walker was official time-keeper. Downs and Blackburn also acted as keepers.

